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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

This amendment and reply is being filed in reply to the outstanding Restriction Requirement, mailed December 16, 2005, in connection with the above application. A Petition for a five-month extension of time and appropriate fees are filed concurrently herewith. Please enter the following amendments:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this response.